

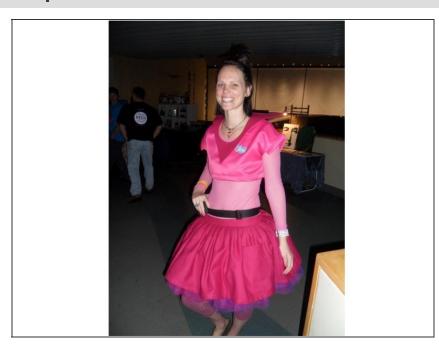
# **Handmade Judy Jetson Costume**

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#### SUMMARY

This is my handmade Judy Jetson Halloween costume for 2011. It cost me \$8 (plus maybe another \$8 for the tutu that I had already made eariler in the year) and it took just a few days to make. I also upcycled cardboard boxes and a notebook cover to make a few parts of it. I love handmade so, of course, I LOVE Halloween. I call it Handmade Halloween now because I always take time to make a cool costume.

## Step 1 — Full costume



- I made both the skirt and top to be worn again as everyday wear.
- I used a pattern for a summer top and modified it by cropping it and adding a thick band on the bottom and half way around the sleeves instead of hemming as the pattern suggested.

## Step 2 — Pockets on skirt



 The skirt looks less cartoonish when worn without the tutu underneath and it can be worn in everyday life. I used a twill material that I would want to wear again and I added pockets to make it functional.

## Step 3 — Costume shown with under-skirt tutu



 The skirt weighs it down a bit but the tutu has many layers and sticks almost straight out when fully poofed (the giant skirt was my favorite part!).

### Step 4 — The Jetsons pin





- I made the Jetsons pin out of a notebook cover.
- My favorite part was that even after I told people that I made the costume many said,
  "Yeah, but where did you get the pin?" I had to tell them that I made it ALL!
- I printed two copies of the logo and attached them to a piece of cardboard from an old notebook cover. From one I cut out just the letters, and from the other I cut out just the outline. I added Dimensional Magic to both the letters and the background/outline cutout.
   After they dried I glued them on top of each other and added a pin back.
- On the back of the Jetsons pin, you can see what used to be the front of the notebook.

### **Step 5** — Back of the triangle collar



 I used a Diet Coke box covered with fabric for the collar and left the back uncovered so that I could show people.

## Step 6



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- The Jetsons family.
- I am the daughter, Judy, on the right.
- I used my imagination with the hair (since I think hair paint and costume-store wigs look cheap). I put my hair up in a fountain-style pony tail on top of my head and pinned my bangs in a poof in front.